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REPLY/AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL

Attorney Docket No. 953.1012

Application Number 10/699,648

Filing Date November 4, 2003

First Named Inventor

Group Art Unit 3748

AMOUNT ENCLOSED 258.00 Examiner Name Thai Ba Trieu

FEE C	CALCULATION (f	ees effective 10/01/03)	
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CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For		Number Extra	Rate	Calculations	
TOTAL CLAIMS	8	-	20 =	0	X \$ 18.00 =	\$	0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	6	-	3 =	3	X \$ 86.00 =		258.00
Since an Official Action set an original due date of June 29, 2004, petition is hereby							

Since an Official Action set an <u>original</u> due date of <u>June 29, 2004</u>, petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$110); 2 months (\$420); 3 months (\$950); 4 months (\$1,480); 5

If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$330.00)

If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$110.00)

Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00)

Total of above Calculations = \$ 258.00

Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28)

TOTAL FEES DUE = \$ 258.00

- (1) If entry (1) is less than entry (2), entry (3) is "0".
- (2) If entry (2) is less than 20, change entry (2) to "20".
- (4) If entry (4) is less than entry (5), entry (6) is "0".
- (5) If entry (5) is less than 3, change entry (5) to "3".

METHOD OF PAYMENT

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Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to the Deposit Account No. below.

No payment is enclosed and no charges to the Deposit Account are authorized at this time (unless specifically required to obtain a filing date).

GENERAL AUTHORIZATION

If the above-noted "AMOUNT ENCLOSED" is not correct, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees necessary to:

Deposit Account No.

19-3935

Deposit Account Name

STAAS & HALSEY LLP

The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, including any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g., continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs under 37 CFR

1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application.

SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP

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Signature Date 79 JUNE 2004

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Naoya ISHIKAWA

Serial No. 10/699,648

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Confirmation No. 5367

Filed: November 4, 2003

Examiner: Thai Ba Trieu

For: EGR SYSTEM FOR INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE PROVIDED WITH A TURBO-

CHARGER

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed March 29, 2004, and having a period for response set to expire on June 29, 2004.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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